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## PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition to revive the subject application under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) due to an inadvertent and unintentional failure to timely file a Notice of Appeal or a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) final Office Action mailed February 25, 2008.

Applicants respectfully request that the following enclosures be entered and considered:

- Request for Continued Examination;
- Amendment/Submission in response to final Office Action mailed August 25, 2008; and
  - 3. Petition fee in the amount of \$1,620.00 as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(m).

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) was unintentional.

Applicants respectfully request that this petition be granted and that the subject application be revived for consideration of the enclosed response on the merits.

In the event the actual fee is greater than the payment submitted or is inadvertently not enclosed or if any additional fee during the prosecution of this application is not paid, the Patent

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Office is authorized to charged the underpayment to Deposit Account No. 15-0700.

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